

Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions

Study Aid for the Sermon from April 4, 2010
“No Quitting!”
2 Corinthians 4:16-18

Observing the text

Read 2 Corinthians 4:16-18 and make as many observations as possible.

How do these verses fit into the flow of the passage?

What does Paul mean by his reference to the "inner" and "outer" man?

What is Paul referring to when he speaks of the "eternal weight of glory"?

What does this future weight of glory have to do with the resurrection and glorification of Christ?

Applying the sermon

Do you believe that those who have chosen to focus on future glory will want others to share in that hope with them? Why should this desire lead them to share the gospel with greater boldness?

How will those who share the gospel with increasing boldness experience suffering of various kinds?

In what ways have you suffered? In what ways have you suffered in seeking to share the gospel boldly?

How would focusing on our future resurrection and transformation help us to endure whatever sufferings may come to us in this life?